DANCE OF THE JAPANESE

Society Once More Adopts the Customs of

SENATOR AND MRS. MANDERSON HONORED

the Mikado's Land.

of the Swells.

With the craze for everything Japanese that is overspreading art, society-everything-it isn't at all strange that the quaint dancing of the Japanese girls should attract attention. But if O Miyo San and O Yaye San, the fascinating daughters of a prominent Japanese merchant, had not come 'cross seas to New York, and if the folk-lore society had not found them out, and had not given an exclusive function to which the elect alone were privileged to pay \$3 apiece to be present, why then it may be that the present rage among society girls to learn to dance a la Mile. Chrysanthemum would not have obtained so quickly. As it is, coiffeurs who can imitate the almond-eyed goddesses' wonderful topknots, and importers of the softly awishing, flowery robes are in high feather And many a svelte figure aches from the effects of prelonged attempts to pattern after the graceful damsels, whose Goshogusuma (dance of the first plum blossoms) and Itako dexima (dance of flly flower among the wild grass in swamps of the peninsula of Irana) are so wonderfully captivating. If you are going to enter the lists you must have a samisen for the musical accompaniment, and you must dance in the thumb-toed hose and curious sandals of the real dancers from the land of the lotus. The proper spread to offer your guests after you have danced for them is the O-Cha-Gua-Shi, meaning the honorable tea and cakes. And if you know fust how you will not serve sugar with your delicious brew of Japan tea, but funny sugared comfits. And if your guests know just how they will put one of these tid-bits in the mouth and take a sip of tea upon it, and pronounce the gods good to

has a number of advanced ideas relative to the universal solicitation of alms practiced in foreign countries, and is evidently not in hearty sympathy with the begging propensities of the professional seekers after coins. Speaking generally of life in the great con tinental cities, she says: "I have seen the cities from quite a different standpoint from that of most people. I try and learn the life of the dwellers in these places. All cities are alike as far as the upper classes are concerned, but the lower classes represent the true state of the conditions; such splendor, such misery, such poverty, such crime, such wickedness, such superstition, such dieness, but through it in many instances such patience as to make it most pathetic. In Roman Catholic countries she found th people largely ignorant, but this is undoubt-edly true of all countries, whether Catholic or Protestant, the percentage of educa-tion being much the same in continental Europe among the common people. Speaking of the solicitation of aims practiced, she "I have many and many a given alms to a beggar at door of a church and remained and watched him or her long enough to see that penny deposited in the begging box be-fore the Virgin, or in some other duly appointed receptacle. On the other hand, if one gives them food it only serves to nourish bodies and gives them strength to work for the church with greater zeal. the problem becomes confusing, and I some times (not often now) give a little to do good in the abstract, let the result be what it Upon the question of European mas Ideas "I think it foolish to look at mile of painted canvas, much of which is bad, just because it happens to be in Europe and has the name of an old master upon it, who in many instances never even saw it, as others. not myself, have proved. But I have seen and studied most of the really good things, and, needless to say, enjoyed them." That of observation cannot help but prove

A friend of The Bee now touring Europe

A reception is to be given Senator and Mrs. Manderson Thursday evening at the Omaha club, to be followed by dancing. This will be preceded by a dinner, for a limited number of covers are to be laid Senator Manderson returns home on Wednes day and will on that evening be given a reception at South Omaha. The affair at the Omaha club on the following evening prom ises to be the great event of the season. Patriotic Daugh ers Estertain.

As a social organization the Patriotic Daughters of America are unsurpassed by any similar society in the city. Last Thursday evening a very enjoyable party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Hough and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ledyard, 615 North Twentieth street, progressive high five forming the attractive feature of the evening's en tertainment, forty-eight people taking part in the game, which was one of unusual interest. In honor of the occasion the rooms were very prettily decorated with flags Japanese lanterns and other bright colors Mrs. E. Fisher and Mrs. James W. Boul abers to decide who should receiv the ladies' honors for winning the larges number of games, Mrs. Bouk receiving it, handsome silk lined jewel basket. T gentlemen's first prize was won by Mr. Mil who cut with Mr. White. Mrs. Stringer was presented with a little washboard (hard rub), as the lady's consolation gift. Mr Tremie Denman captured the gentleman's booby, a little sack of marbles. After the prizes had been awarded, dainty refresh ments were served. Mr. W. H. Beverly re cited in a very pleasing manner "An Old Man's Idyl," after which some choice musical numbers were rendered by Mrs. Webster and others, and then the young people danced Among the many present were: Mes-dames E. Fisher, Wallenhaupt, Gamber, Laura Fisher, T. E. Denman, Duval, J. Stuben, R. A. Webster, Brown, J. W. Bouk, E. Stacey, Lizzie J. Stacey, Bouquet, Wins low, Knapp. J. White, Carrie Elsasser, Coke rofe, Callahan, W. M. Hay, J. W. Melish Edna Gwynne, Stringer, Ledyard, Hough Stuben, W. White, Kittle Distelhorst, C Brink; Me srs. J. B. Drie bach. W. F. Knapp Harry Brink, W. C. Bouk. F. H. Gwynne A. T. Sigwart, August Schnitlen, John Stuben B. Morris, A. H. R. Flint, Jim Callanan C. Hough, E. H. Ledyard, L. J. Wollen haupt, Jesse White, E. P. Buffett, W. H. Beverly, D. G. Brewer, E. M. Stringer, Den man, Miller, Winslow, Reed, Will White an

Rainbow Drill by Omaha Belles. Mrs. Jennie Wertz, long an indefatigable leader in church work and worker for charity, has now almost completed the program for an entertainment, the principal feature of which will be a "rainbow drill," to be given at Metropolitan hall Tuesday evening, April 2. The program presents an extremely interesting combination of novel and eye-pleasing events. The rainbow drill, performed by sixteen young ladies and led Mrs. Wertz, will pleace the onlooker. esthetic sense in a high degree, as will the different attitudes taken by the graceful poseurs mentioned in the program, which follows:

Rainbow Drill.

Misses McKell, Alexander, Tukey, Ethel Tukey, Cook, Sadie Alexander, House, Duryea, Cleveland, Cholwell, Staley, Isaacs, Bartlett, Barber, Sargent, Brunner; leader, Mrs. Wertz.

Miss Marshall

...Miss Marshall ...Adalaide Risley ...Miss Cholwell

A. O. G. D. is Entertained.

very pleasant evening was spent on Fri

day at the home of C. T. Butler and C. M Foster by twenty couples of young people It was a mask dance, and all appeared dressed in a sheet excepting the officers of the Ancient Order of Grand Dukes, who wore the long black robes. The lower floor having been canvassed, at 9 o'clock a blind quadrille formed, which was very amusing and I, as the lights throughout the house

were hung in a tinted shade of blue paper.
The young gentlemen were assisted in receiving by Miss Minnie Millard and Miss Minnie Burgland, while Miss Alice Statler and Mrs. G. H. Lewis assisted in entertain-

During the evening Mr. Will Thacker sang a tenor solo entitled "Mary and May," which was much enjoyed, and Miss Carla Meredith gave a recitation entitled "What a Man Should Do to Be Liked by Ladies." J. T. Bucanan gave a short talk interspersed with

Card Parties and Dances Continue to Break
the Lenten Rest Notwithstanding
the Tenels of the Church-Chat

A lew droit remarks.
Those present were: Misses Hansen, Cox,
Meredith, Darst, Fredericks, Meredith, Bensen, Rose Hansen, Statler, Millard, Burgland,
Coombs, Karbaugh, Sunderland, Kingsley Phillipps, Patton, Baxter; Messra. Frost, Philipps, Patton, Baxter, Messara, Anlabaugh, Homan, Gates, Stokes, Thacker, Windsor, Butler, Banks, Duest, Blath, Dupont, Bucanan, Cross, Weller, Bechtold, Hansen, Pitts, Butler, Ball, Foster; Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Lewis, Mrs. N. C. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Spencer.

High School Musicale. A very pleasing musicate was given at the High school last Friday under the auspices of the Cadet Officers' club. The following delightful program was rendered:

The class of '96 Banjo and Mandolin clubs covered themselves with their accustomed glory. The Officers' Club quartet, composed of Messrs, Clarkson, Purvis, Wagner and Dale, Messrs, Clarkson, Purvis, Wagner and Dale showed the fine results of Miss Clarkson's excellent training. Profs. Cummings and Sutorius' duet met with hearty applause. The Mandolin club of '97 charmed the audi ence. The concert was a great success oupils of the High school and their friends.

Birthday Party for Two. An enjoyable double birthday party oc curred Wednesday evening in honor of James K. O'Neil and C. B. Kreutzer, at 1510 North Eighteenth street. The early part of the evening was enlivened by music, recitations and high five, in which latter divertisement Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ward won the honors. Yellow was the predominating decorative color, roses being used largely. Mr. O'Nei and Mr. Kreutzer, of course, were seated at the head of the dining table when refreshments were served, from which post they dispensed the dainties and cut the prize

The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Ward and Miss Mable Ward, Clinton, Ia. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ward, Marshalltown ia.; Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Ward, Cedar Rapids ia.; Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Reynolds, South Omaha; Miss Maggie, Moores, Little Sloux, Ia.; Mr. C. B. Kreutzer, Denver, Colo Messrs, and Mesdames James K. O'Nell M. Loftus, T. E. Wood, E. Amewalt, T. W. Reipen, Dr. Owens, H. S. Emory; Misses May O'Neil, Hazel Amewalt; Messrs. J. Lawrie Wallace, Isaac O'Neil and Jamie O'Neil of Omaha.

In Her Honor. A farewell party in honor of Miss Mary Bergland, who is soon to leave the city, was given Friday evening last at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Ball. The evening was very pleasantly spent in playing games, charades, etc., after which refreshments were served. During the course of the evening several fine piano solos were rendered by Misses Stickney and Lidstone. A unique and interesting feature of the evening's entertainment was a stercopticon exhibition, in which portraits of the guests were shown and a short history and prophecy given o each. Among those present were the follow ing: Misses Jessie Gillis, Mabel Comfort Nellie Stickney, Cora Battelle, Stella Blue Ruth Battelle, Hattie Auchmoedy, Ruth Sprague, Jeannette Auchmoedy, Josie Cole, Kate Swartzlander, Beatrice Ball, Mary Bergland, Ella Lidstone; Messrs. George W. T. Hoffman, Sherman Pinto Charles L. Fritscher, Oscar Engler, Charles Sheeler, Lon Beans, Frank Bliss, Francis J.

Ernest Farrell and Howard Bruner. Surprise Party. Mr. and Mrs. James G. Martin of 2818 South Nineteenth street were given a genuine surprise party Friday evening, it being the eleventh anniversary of their marriage They were the recipients of a beautiful hand-painted jardiniere, filled with choice cut flowers. High five was indulged the evening entertainment. Mrs. Sol Hopper secured the ladies' first prize, and the same for the gentlemen was captured by T. P. Mahoney. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Sol Hopper, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hough, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Mahoney, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dudley of Council Bluffs, Ia., Mr and Mrs. Alex Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. Strousbough, Mr. and Mrs. Al Powell. Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Rickard, Mr. and Mrs L. T. Stearns, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Sidwell, T. G. Laur, Miss Mouline Laur, Mis Bell Morland, Miss Grace Strousbough, Miss Sarah Martin, Don Hopper and Lawrence Sidwell. After cards a lunch was spread,

followed by some songs and dancing. Eastern Star Entertainment. Vesta chapter No. 6, Order of the Eastern Star, gave a delightful progressive high five party in the banquet hall of the Masonic temple, corner of Sixteenth and Capitol avenue, last Friday evening. The ladies first prize, a beautiful handkerchief case, was presented to Mrs. Nellie Fisher. The gentle men's first prize, a necktie box, containing a four-in-hand necktie, was awarded Mr. Martin of South Omaha. Mrs. Weeks and Mr. Blake won the consolation prizes. A large number of the representatives were present from the South Omaha and Council lodges, the attendance being very large. The various committees on arrange deserve much credit for the efforts put forth to make the occasion one of thor ough enjoyment to all. Refreshments were served during the evening, and after the various prizes had been awarded the floor was cleared and dancing was indulged in by many of the young, as well as the older

W. A. P. A. Mask Ball.

The masquerade ball given by Success ouncil, No. 3, W. A. P. A., Friday evening March 22, at Wolff's hall, was much enjoyed by those present. The printed program was Twenty-eight dances enique and appropriate. were participated in, the dancing being to excellent orchestra music. After unmasking at 11 p. m. the judges selected for the presen of the prizes, consisting of Mrs. Harry Kemp, state president of the W. A. P. of Fremont, Neb.; Mr. R. H. Maxwell and Mr. George S. Hickox of Omaha, awarded the prizes as follows: Miss Georgiana Ellett. most appropriately dressed lady (Columbia white); Mrs. Birdie Reynolds of Glenwood poorest dressed lady (ragged girl); Mr. D. G Brewer, best character (clown); Mr. George Morris, worst costume (tramp). There werover 100 couples on the floor, and the dance infl continued until 2:30 a. m. The mistress of ceremonies was Mrs. M. A. Hertzmann.

Terpsichoreans Pluy Carda R. Knight Potter entertained the Terps chorean club members at the residence of hi parents, 222 North Nineteenth street, Fri day evening, at high five. This was the third of the alternate series of dancing and card parties. Mr. A. W. McDonald captured the

parties. Mr. A. W. McDonald captured the gentleman's prize, a silver mounted came bearing the motto of the club. The lady's prize, a hox of bonbons, was won by Miss Pickering. After an enjoyable time at cards dainty refreshments were served.

Those who shuffled the cards were: Misses E. Breckinridge. Dewey, Betts, Pickering, Bowman, Fredericks, Van Buren, Hall, St. Geyer, Bulwer, Cowles, Hamlin, Van Curen, Wilcox, Eastman, E. Potter, Mrs. Charles Black; Messrs. Angell, Hamlin, Giacomini. Black; Messrs. Augell, Hamlin, Glacomint, Falconer, Burdick, A. McDonald, Body, Van Court, Collett, Berlin, Meigs, Curry, Schnei

der, Squires. Surprised on Her Twelfth Birthday. Miss Fannie Fitchett, 906 South Twentyeighth street, was very pleasantly surprised on her 12th birthday last Saturday, March

16, by a party of her young friends, who came prepared to spend a jolly afternoon.

The merry children present were: Fannie Chamberlin, Gertrude White, Edna Butler, Mary Frank, Ellen True, Henrietta Bartlett. sie Powers, Pannie Howland, Rita Clark, be connected with the Northeastern Mutual Laura Dale, Margaret Pettibone, Ada Patterson, Gertrude Campbell, Katle Smith, Leo- A delightful phantom party was given last

Danced at Odd Fellows' Hall. Among the many pleasant events of the past week was the social dance given by the Omaha Dancing society on Monday evening at Independent Order of Odd Fellows' hall able time was spent by all.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. evy, Mr. and Mrs. Devereaux, Mrs. Cuyler, Mrs. Sullivan, Miss I. Calvin, Miss Hanting, Miss A. Bergquist, Miss V. Metcalf, the Misses Cuyler and Jackman, Miss D. Shaver, Miss Lewis, Miss L. Binns, Miss E. Curran, Miss White, Miss Whitehill, Miss Dexter, Miss Kurtz, Miss Kimmerling, Miss Phillips, Miss Walker, Miss Williams, Miss Lahiff, Miss Hantin, Messrs, C. L. Mather, D. Q. Haynes, A. H. Weinberger, M. D. Albrecht, J. Garrison, J. J. Yager, G. Yager, J. Mc-Geough, G. Binns, C. Shaver, H. Bestman, H. Gear, W. Rickey, C. Scaman, L. Fitzger-ald, D. Mallory, H. Reyer, J. Jack, J. J. Frostler, F. Perry, J. Hynes, W. H. Kings-ley, W. Best, S. R. Gulick, R. J. Grostler, McAvoy, Bruce, Grady, Inches, Lalor, Bord-

Pleasant Home Dancing Party. A number of North Omaha young people were very pleasantly entertained by Miss Belle Kendricks at her home, 1709 North Twentieth street, Friday evening. Games were played, after which the evening was

spent in dancing until a late hour, when re-freshments were served. Those present were: Misses Lulu Ichsenora Schultz, Belle Kendricks, Louise Born, Edna Adams, Mabel Adams, Hilda Swimbey, Gertle Stannard; Mesara, Charley Gates, Sam Ochsenbeam, Elmer Ochsenbeam, Hilda eorge Culton, William Miller, Louis Heif-Joseph Specht, George Bowyer, Charles Baldwin, Robert Patton, George Toy, Edward Lafferty, Arthur Hathaway, Edward Platner, Otto Born, Lester Bocock, Fred

Mrs. S. S. Curtis is very ill with typhold Mr. John A. Creighton went to Chicago Mrs. Matt Clawson is seriously ill at her

Miss Grace Himebaugh went to Chicago last Sunday. Miss Bache is out again after a severe atack of la grippe

Mrs. Jackson of Minneapolis returned home fonday afternoon. Mrs. Outcalt of Lincoln is the guest of her ister, Mrs. J. E. Baum. Mrs. Beall is recovering from an attack

congestion of the lungs. Mrs. Henry D. Estabrook has returned rom a month's eastern trip. Mr. D. E. Chapin has gone to Crete, Neb. o spend Sunday with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Barton returned yes

Mr. and Mrs. Lininger are at home after their journey through Old Mexico. Mrs. Robert Wells leaves soon for Philadelphia for a visit of several months. Mrs. Robert S. Anglin left on Sunday for Utica, N. Y., to be the guest of her mother. Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Rector and daughter Vivian are visiting in Chicago for a fev

Mrs. E. C. McShane and daughter left for Chicago on Tuesday to attend the grand Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Baring leave Monday for Chicago, where they will attend the

Prof. C. R. Wilcox of the Iowa State univeristy, Iowa City, is visiting friends in Mr. and Mrs. Brogan have taken the house on Twenty-sixth street, adjoining All Saints'

Mrs. R. L. Reynolds entertained the Bishop Garrett ten at a kensington on Wednesday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. John A. Horbach left for

New York on Monday and will shortly sail Gish, John W. Newlean, Oliver Auchmoedy, for Europe. Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Cudaby infant and leave shortly for a visit of a month

in California. Miss Mae H. Smith has just returned from a delightful month's visit with the Misses Ellick of Fremont.

returned from a four week's visit to her old home in Indiana. Thursday evening Miss Lucila Pegau was very pleasantly surprised at her residence, 3018 Webster street.

Mrs. Frank Irvine, who has been visiting in Pennsylvania for the past six weeks, returned home last Sunday.

Miss Van Patten of Davenport will arrive in Omaha about the first of April and will be the guest of Miss Barnard. Mr. Gerard Van Mourick of the City

Skidmore on Georgia avenue. The engagement of Miss Susie Woolworth of Albany, N. Y., and Mr. Ralph Warner of New York City is announced.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Richardson returned Wednesday from Chicago, where they heard three productions of grand opera. Mrs. William Cressler, who is visiting her granddaughter, Mrs. J. A. Morris, returns to her home at De Witt, Ia., Tuesday. The marriage of Miss Edith L. Wagoner to Mr. Richard B. Wagoner of Albany, N. Y., is

announced to take place in Easter week. Mrs. A. L. Bell and child have gone or a visit to Topeka, Kan., to psned several weeks with Mrs. Fred H. Glick, Mrs. Bell's

Ex-Mayor Broatch and Mr. Wallace Broatch returned from Ohio, where they have been for some time owing to the illness and death of Mrs. Broatch Mrs. F. M. Marsh, 314 South Twenty-sixth street, entertained a party of friends Thurs-day evening by the introduction of the new game of German whist.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Denton and son Andrew and Miss Ethel have returned to their home in Montana after several weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. George W. Lancaster, 2406 young friends of Isabelle McKelvy

Mr. E. W. Nash, Miss Nash and Miss Mary Nash went to Chicago Friday and yesterday were the guests of Mr. Henry E. Abbey at

two performances of the Abbey, Schoeffel & Grand Opera company. William Mathews of this city and Miss Alice Morse of St. Joseph, Mo., were married at the home of the bride last Thursday evening, Rev. G. A. Trenholm officiating. Mr Mathews is an employe of The Bee.

The Bishops Worthington and Seabury "Tens" will welcome the ladies of All Saints' church at the residence of Mrs. D. H. Goodrich, 1117 Park avenue, assisted by Mesdames Hendrie and Baughman, on Friday, March 29, from 2:30 to 5 p. m.

Mr. H. H. Baldrige, county attorney, and Mr. Joseph Baldrige were called to Holidays-burg, Pa., on Monday by the sudden death of their father. Mr. Baldrige having visited ere several times, leaves many friends, who

were grieved to learn of his death. Miss Emma Lear gave a very enjoyable party at her home, Twenty-eighth and Mere-dith avenue, Thursday evening. The guests were entertained with several pleasing games until a late hour. Those present were: Misses Lizzie Nichols, Emma Lear, Nettle

Martin, Lora Martin, Ellen Gruenig, Hannah Gruenig. Mc and Mrs. Charles Lear, Messrs, Cobb, Charles McKenzle, Dave Mc-Chamberlin, Gertrude White, Edna Butler, Mary Frank, Ellen True, Henrietta Bartlett, Nettle Teufel, Edna Hardy, Cora Hardy, Pauline Schenck, Fanny Condon, Mary Chapman, Ola Specht, Bessie De Bevoise, Edna be Bevoise, Gracie Pray, Lelia Shaw, Bessie De Bevoise, Gracie Pray, Lelia Shaw,

terson, Gertrude Campbell, Katle Smith, Leonora Smith, Charlotte Powers, Alice Fredericks, Constance Fredericks, Loraine Comstock.

A delightful phantom party was given last night at Chambers' academy, the children's classes entertaining a large number of visitors with dances in fancy dress. A feature was the kaiserine gayotte, taught the children by Prof. Chambers, and danced for the first time in Omaha last night.

The members of the Improved Order of Red Men will give their third grand annual peace and pow-wbw dance on Thursday evening. April 25, at Washington hall. A committee of members of Yah-Nun-Dah-Sis tribs, No. 2, has the matter in hand, and the Red Men's band will furnish the music. A very pleasant high five party was given

Douglas street, Thursday evening, there At 10:30 p. m. luncheon was served. Mrs. Anna Andress entertained at her home, 4738 North Thirty-eighth street, Thursday afternoon in honor of the ladies of Golden Rod grove, Woolmen circle. The afternoon was delightfully pleasant. At 5:30

the members of the ladies' degree of

the tables were very prettlly arranged and a dainty and delicious menu was served. A very pleasant little party was given by Mrs. Tuttle of the Frenzer last evening in henor of Mr. and Mrs. Robb, who are to occupy their pleasant home on Woolworth avenue. The guests were the young people of the house and a few other friends of Mr. and Mrs. Robb. Card playing was the the evening, followed by refreshments, music

and a social time generally. A musical evening was greatly enjoyed Wednesday. Mrs. Morton sang several selections, Mr. Schenk played most fully and all passed a charming evening. After the music refreshments were served. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Wilkins, Mr. and Mrs. Wertz, Mr. Schenk, Mr. John A. Creighton and Mr. Harry O'Neill.

B. Rosenthal, the president of the People's Furniture and Carpet company, and his brother, George, who has just finished a second year's course at the Omaha Medical college, left last Wednesday on the steamer Britannia for an extended trip through Europe. They will visit London, Paris, Berlin, Vienna, Rome, Constantinople and St. Petersburg, after which Mr. Rosenthal will continue his medical studies in Leipzig.

The annual banquet of the Ancient Order of Grand Dukes took place Thursday evening at 6 o'clock, and was participated in by twenty-eight young men. It is a remark-able fact that out of four annual dinners there has not been one vacant chair, each gentleman making it a point to be present at the table. The grand sir duke was the toastmaster for the evening, while the duke chief responded. Seven courses were served, and at 8 o'clock all rose from the table, when a short business meeting was held. Mr. H. B. Windsor, visiting prince, was the guest of the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chase, at 2426 St. Mary's avenue, entertained the members of the Christian Endeavor society of the St. Mary's Avenue Congregational church Friday evening in a very delightful manner, about sixty couples being present. The ladies spent the first hour of the evening with Miss Cady at 2020 St. Mary's avenue, in a very profitable discussion of Christian En-deavor work, while the gentlemen held a similar meeting with Mr. Chase. At 9 o'clock the ladies adjourned to the Chase, where the remainder of the evening was passed very pleasantly with games, music and refreshments.

Last Saturday evening at their home or Davenport street Miss Hattle Duncan and Miss Lella Curry, assisted by Misses Mabel Dutcher and Grace Ridenour, entertained a number of their friends at high five. At the close of the games refreshments were served. After refreshments a few bright selections of rocal and instrumental music were given by Miss Sarah Harper and Mrs. Charles Savage Among those present were: Mrs. R. M. Weeks, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Savage, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ridenour, Misses Mabel Dutcher, Clara Ruth, Grace Ridenour, Sarah Harper Hattie Duncan and Lalla Messrs, B. F. Cason, T. L. McDonnell, J. Hodson, Charles Buck and D. Hopkins.

A jolly crowd gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Crookshark, Twenty third and Grace streets, Thursday evening. Games of all kinds were indulged in and a very enjoyable even C. M. Hummel, Mrs. E. K. Bottle, Mrs. J. J. Freytag, Mrs. S. M. Peiffer, Mrs. Long-well and son, Alfred Longwell; Misses Jennie Mrs. Charles E. Ford and children have Markwood, Della Markwood, Cassie Mark wood, Dovie Markwood, Oma Ferree, Clara Ferree, Annette DeBolt, Grace Baxter, Rosa-lia Von Lackum, Sarah Von Lackum, Maude Martin, Ella Crane, Mollie Lucas and Sadie Hummel; Messrs. Edward Lucas, Roland Hummel, Ryan Hummel, Ernest Ferrell, Frank Bliss, Charles Fritscher, jr., and Mr

One of the pleasant events of the week was a party given by Misses Edna Martin and Madge Leard at the former's home on Spencer street, Friday evening. After several enjoyable games were played lunch was Mexico is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. served by the young hostess. The invited guests were: Miss Madge Hollenbeck of Council Bluffs, and Misses Orie Abbott, Dorothy Ketchum, Maude Macomber, Maude Cooper, Viola Faust, Blanche Howland, Allene Mc Eachron, Ethel Whitlock, Alice Bowen, Grace Edwards, Maggie Cunens, June Bennett, Grace Leard, Esther Martin, Madge Leard and Edna Martin; Messrs. Walter Cost, Gordon Raymond, Ira Marks, George Fowler, Fayette Leard, Clair Hitchcock, John Perkins, Madison McEachron, Willard Barrows, Clarence Williamson, Ward Baker and Harry

Among the Musicians. Guiseppe Verdi, now in his 84th year, is engaged on a new opera of fanciful and spectacular import entitled "La Tempete." The leading role, which is said to be of the Mephisto order, is being written for M. Maurel, the distinguished French baritone who made such a pronounced success at his first appearance in Chicago by his powerful portrayal of Iago, and intensified admiration by his wonderful work as Falstaff.

Saint-Saens has written an interesting re view of Mme. Augusta Holmes' opera, Montagne Noire," which was recently pro-duced at the Paris Grand opera house. The famous French composer believes that Mme. Holmes has fallen into the error of seeking to conceal her sex and to that end striving tendered her a surprise party on the occasion of her 13th birthday at the residence of her father, R. E. McKelvy, 2520 Charles key, uses the brasses to an ear-splitting decrease to an extent of the voices to an gree and stretches the voices to an extent which causes one to tremble for the vocal chords. Naturally Mrs. Holmes is of the

Wagnerian bent. The starring tour of Frank Daniels in Harry B. Smith and Victor Herbert's opera, "The Wizard," carries an unmistakable Chicago at-mosphere about it. Harry B. Smith was well known in newspaper circles in C icago long be-fore he became noted as a librettist. Kirke La Shelle and Arthur F. Clark, the managers of the enterprise were formerly dramaticeditors respectively of the Post and the Mail and it is now announced that Ernest Albert the well known Chicago artist, is to paint the scenery. "The Wizard!" is the story of a peripatetic magician who visits Egypt dur-ing the longest period of drouth known to the oldest inhabitant, with the hope of conjuring the Nile to overflow. The opera is in three acts and Mr. Daniels will appear as Kibosh in

Raliway Land Selections Approved. WASHINGTON, March 23.—Secretary Smith has approved for patent 41,332 acres of land in the indemnity limits of the Northern Pacific grant. The lands are in the Chehalis and Vancouver districts. Also 160 acres in the Marshall land district to the St. Paul & Sioux City company.

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GETTING READY FOR THOMAS

Attractive Programs Arranged for the Spring Musical Festival Next Month.

CHAT OF OMAHA'S BEST KNOWN MUSICIANS

Herbert Butler Goes Abroad to Take a Tw Years' Course on the Violin-Short Notes of Coming Enter-Inluments.

Preparations for the festival concerts April 19 and 20 at Boyd's theater are sufficiently far advanced to warrant the prediction that artistically these concerts will crown the year. Mr. Pennell has been indefatigable in his efforts to secure the very best artists in Solo-Pocahontas of the Improved Order of Red addition to the renowned Thomas orchestra.

Men at the residence of Mrs. Brownes, 2305 and resterday he made public the names of the soloists, Mrs. Genevra Johnstone Bishop, soprano, and Mr. Homer Moore, baritone. Quartet-My Pretty Maid....
The programs are sufficiently attractive to The programs are sufficiently attractive to warrant crowded houses, and should the present festival prove a success it is fair to assume that Omaha will have an annual Knight assume that Omaha will have an annual visitation from Theodore Thomas and his Chicago orchestra.

The programs are as follows FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 19.

INTERMISSION.

MATINEE, APRIL 20. t. Vorspiel, "Die Meistersinger." 2. Sieg-fried's Idyl. Wagner Wedding March, with Variations Goldmark Symphonic Poem, "Les Preludes"... Liszt

INTERMISSION. Overture, Academic Festival......Brahm ou'rt Like Unto a Flower...... Marie Johns

Mr. Homer Moore.

Waltz, Dornrouschen Tschaikowsky
Sulte L'Arlesienne Liszt
Prelude, Minuetto, Adagioetto, Carillon. Slavonic Dances from 4th series Dvorak

EVENING, APRIL 20.

March Schubert Symphony, No. 5 C minor Beethoven Allegro con Brio, Andante con Monto, Allegro, Finale.

Scena and Aria, Freischutz Weber Mrs. Bishop and Orchestra. INTERMISSION.

Prelude and Glorification, "Parsifal" Ride of the Walkyries, "Walkure" Wotan's Farewell, "Walkure" Wotan's Farewell, "Walkure" Smarch and Chorus, "Tannhaueser" March and Chorus, "Tannhaueser" Wagner W

The coming musical event at Boyd's will be the Sutorius Mandolin Orchestra concert, which is to take place in May. Assisted by the Imperial Banjo and Guitar club, under Mr. E. H. Cummings, and by such vocalists as Mr. Kronberg and Miss Nannle Hands, the orchestra will be in a position to furnish a program far superior to that of the ordinary concert. The Mandolin Orchestra rehearsals have become so popular as to attract a large number of visitors each week. While this is very flattering, and perhaps stimulating to the players, it interferes somewhat with their proper drilling, and Mr. Sutorius has decided to hereafter exclude all outsiders except the escorts of the lady members of the orchestra.

A program of more than ordinary merit was rendered at the residence of Mrs. Cox, 2614 Capitol avenue, Thursday evening, for the benefit of the Dorcas Ten of All Saints' church. The numbers were well selected in their variety, the plano playing of Miss Wagner being the feature of the evening. Her rendition was remakable in its perfect technique and firmness of touch. Miss Getty's singing was much enjoyed, and Miss Vapor's humorous recitation greatly amused the ience. Miss Hazel Livingstone showed great talent for a child performance on the iolin, and her evident enjoyment in handling the violin was pleasing to see. Mme. of Calvary Baptist church, at Young Men's

Van Kuran and Mr. Barton are well known, and their singing furnished the anticipated enjoyment.

A grand concert, under the auspices of the library committee of the Young Women's Christian association, will be given in the rotunda of The Bee building Thursday evening of this week. The program follows:

PART I. Selected Recitation Mrs. Talbot D. Dakin. Solo-My Queen Mr. Jules Lumbard. Pease

PART II. Violin Solo-Melody Moszkowski Mr. Brown.R. E. Sunderland

.. Neidlinger Recitation Mrs. Dakin

Serenade ...

Mr. Lumbard.
Accompanists: Miss Stella Brown, Mr. J.
E. Butler, Mr. DeRizdon Stambaugh. Next Tuesday evening an entertainment and ball will be given by the Omaha Turner Wheel club at Turner hall. The musical program is:

...Miss Eda Andres ...Mr. J. Sauerwein

PART II. Selection Mandolin and Gultar Quartet.

Hans and Hannah.....Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Lieben Late from the German theater, Milwaukee

An interesting feature of the B. Y. P. U. rally at Young Men's Christian association auditorium this afternoon will be a song by the Mozart Quartet, whose rendition of sacred music is becoming very generally conceded to be superb.

At the morning service at the First Congregational church Mr. Moore will sing "Zion," by Paul Rodney, and the quartet, Mrs. Squires, Mrs. Morton, Mr. McRoberts and Mr. Abbott, will sing Chadwick's "God, Who Madest Earth and Heaven." evening a chorus of twenty-five voices will sing Dudley Buck's "Te Deum."

Mr. Hans Albert, Omaha's well known violinist, has been very ill for the past three weeks at Ottumwa, Ia. There is some talk of his return to this city for a short period for the rest and recuperation he so much needs. His many friends here are planning to induce him to once more take abode here and relinquish his cherished plan of going abroad. The management of Boyd's opera house

and the musical friends of the leader of the Boyd orchestra will tender Mr. Herbert Butler, April 10, a testimonial concert previous to Mr. Butler's sailing for Europe, where he will pursue his musical studies for the next two years. Among those will assist in making the concert an artistic success are Mme. Muentefering, Mrs. Marti Cahn, Mr. Homer Moore, Martin Cahn and Mrs. Butler, who will make her first appearance in concert in this city on the occasion above mentioned. Together with these solo-ists an orchestra of thirty pieces has been organized, with Mr. Adelmann concert master, and the program already hinted gives every promise of being most satisfactory. Mr. Butler has earned this tribute, and the thousands whom he has pleased with his playing ought not fail to give Omaha's violinist a rousing benefit.

Concert by Calvary Baptist Ladies. The following is the program which will be rendered at the concert given by the ladies

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Mr. Jo F. Barton.

Recitation—Deacon O'Kearney's Court-

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It's nothing but a picture of a hen in a barnyard, but it is attracting North Oma-hans considerably just the same. It's a new sign erected at the corner of 16th and Clark streets, and represents a model farm with the old home in the distance, apple trees, barns, sheds, etc., but the feature of it that creates the screation is the hen. The ladies of the house are out in full force to rounded and the hen is about to die, when the sign writer gets in his work by remark-ing that, "If Wilcox & Draper sell \$3.00 shees and shoe 3,000 men, how many women do you think, will it take to shoo a hen?" The sign does much credit to the originality of Wilcox & Draper, the shoers at 1515-1517 Douglas street, and is worth paying car fare to see.

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